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To,
Shri. Rajyavardhan Singh Rathore,
Hon. Minister of State, Ministry of Information and Broadcasting,
Government of India

Sir,

We had welcomed the move initiated by the Ministry of Information & Broadcasting to invite us for the first round of discussion and we believed it was a step in the positive direction. We were able to understand each other's positions and exchange ideas. Some of the thoughts shared by the Ministry regarding the future of this institution seemed promising.

We believe that the Ministry has the intention to resolve this issue keeping in mind the interest of the students and the academic discourse within the institution and it would do all in its capacity to take steps that would build trust and create a conducive environment for further dialogue.

As a responsible student body the form of our protest has been peaceful and democratic. Irrespective of the progressive nature of the movement, today, we have been served a warning notice by the director's office and the students are deeply pained with this development.

We the students of FTII would like to officially request an audience with the Hon. Minister of Information & Broadcasting to take the dialogue forward.

Please suggest the formal procedure to take this request forward.

Thanks,

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President
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CC: Joint Secretary, Ministry of I&B, Government of India